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## METHOD AND FORMULATION FOR TREATING VASCULAR DISEASE

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**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to calculation of the filing fee in connection with the referenced new continuation application and prior to it being taken up for examination, please enter the following Preliminary Amendment.

**In the Specification:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 9, line 17, after “dalvastatin” please insert --atorvastatin,  
cerivastatin,--.

**In the Claims:**

**Please amend claims 1 and 3 as follows:**